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TAGS: PFOR, GW

SUBJECT: ACTING SECRETARY'S BIRTHDAY GREETINGS TO  
CHANCELLOR BRANDT

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE ACTING  
SECRETARY TO CHANCELLOR BRANDT BY DECEMBER 18: QUOTE:  
DEAR MR. CHANCELLOR: AS YOU REACH THE IMPORTANT MILE-  
STONE OF YOUR SIXTIETH BIRTHDAY, MRS. RUSH AND I WISH  
TO EXTEND OUR WARM CONGRATULATIONS. BOTH OF US WISH  
YOU CONTINUING GOOD HEALTH, AS WELL AS THE PUBLIC ESTEEM  
AND HAPPINESS YOU SO RICHLY DESERVE, BASED ON YOUR  
LIFELONG DEVOTION TO THE SERVICE OF YOUR FELLOW MEN  
AND TO THE PRINCIPLES OF DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN FREEDOM.  
WARM REGARDS, SINCERELY, KENNETH RUSH UNQUOTE

2. THE DEPARTMENT DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT BUT  
HAS NO OBJECTION IF FRG WISHES TO DO SO.

3. DECLASSIFY UPON RECEIPT.  
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